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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Senator—  
Ollie M. James.  
Governor—  
Jas. B. McCreary.  
Lieutenant-Governor—  
Edward J. McDermott.  
Treasurer—  
Thos. S. Rhea.  
Auditor of Public Accounts—  
Henry M. Bosworth.  
Attorney-General—  
James Garnett.  
Secretary of State—  
C. F. Crocillus.  
Supt. of Public Instruction—  
Barksdale Hamlett.  
Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor  
and Statistics—  
J. W. Newman.  
Clerk Court of Appeals—  
Robt. L. Greene.  
For Legislature—  
Dr. J. H. Wade.

The September crop report for  
Kentucky shows little change in  
conditions over the month previous.

Henry and Lisle Collins, deputy  
sheriffs from Bell county, were shot  
and killed in Lee county, Va., by  
relatives of a woman for whom they  
had requisition papers as a witness  
in a Pinville murder case.

Joseph Wendling, in prison at  
Frankfort for the murder of Alma  
Kefner, denied last night that he  
had made a confession. He said  
he would get free and in-  
dicated on whom he would fasten  
the crime.

Bishop McCoy, addressing the  
Louisville Conference of the Meth-  
odist Episcopal Church, South, warn-  
ed the ministers that it was against  
the rules of the church for them  
to perform the marriage ceremony  
for the guilty party to a divorce  
granted for scriptural reasons.

## ENTERTAINING HER PARENTS.

Mrs. Guy Atkinson is enjoying a  
visit from her father and mother.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wisor, late of New  
Mexico. Mr. Wisor is an able  
Presbyterian minister who, for  
some time has been a missionary in  
the southwest. It is said that he  
will go to Texas for location. On  
last Sunday evening Mr. Wisor oc-  
cupied the pulpit of the M. E.  
Church, South, preaching an excel-  
lent sermon to a large and attentive  
audience.

## FARM FOR SALE.

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## S. S. CONVENTIONS.

Fine Meetings at Green Valley and  
Buchanan Last Saturday.

On last Saturday two of the best  
district Sunday school conventions  
ever held in Lawrence county gath-  
ered at Green Valley and Buchanan.  
The former was probably attended  
by more people than any conven-  
tion ever held in the county. Es-  
timates on the crowd ran as high  
as 1000.

The official report of Green  
Valley tells the story so well that  
we publish it herewith.

We have no report from Buch-  
anan except the expression of some  
who attended. They say it was  
a very successful and enjoyable af-  
fair.

## Report from Green Valley.

East Fork, Dry Fork and Catt's  
Fork magisterial districts met in  
Sunday School Convention at Green  
Valley Sept. 30th and splendidly car-  
ried out the program. The conven-  
tion was presided over by our  
worthy county president, M. S.  
Barnis.

Interest in Sunday school work  
was greatly manifested at this con-  
vention. It seems as though peo-  
ple are waking up to the sense of  
their duty in Sunday school work  
throughout the county, and no o-  
doubts that the moral improve-  
ment in Lawrence county, which is  
so plainly evident, is largely, if not  
altogether due to the splendid  
Sunday school interest which pre-  
vails over the county. On this beau-  
tiful September day the crowds  
came from every direction. The  
school house would not hold one-  
half the crowd, so we moved to  
the beautiful grove near the school  
house and enjoyed a program that  
was good from start to finish. A  
large delegation from Louisa, in  
which there was some splendid  
singers, added to the enjoyment of  
the day.

At the noon hour we adjourned  
for a short time to enjoy the  
bountiful dinner that had been pre-  
pared by the good women of the  
neighborhood, and the world can-  
not beat the hospitality of Green  
Valley. Cakes and pies and chick-  
en and pork and beef in baskets,  
boxes and even trunks—and such  
cakes and pies! It just makes  
one's mouth water to think of  
them. Too much cannot be said  
for the patient, good women who  
help to make this world brighter.

A contribution for International  
Work was taken and the good peo-  
ple responded cheerfully to the  
amount of \$18.44, to the honor of  
the convention.

M. Harmon was elected president  
and J. M. Cooksey secretary for  
the ensuing year for the district.  
Resolutions of this convention  
will be published in next week's  
Big Sandy News.

J. M. COOKSEY, Sec.

## FISCAL COURT.

The magistrates of Lawrence  
county met as a court of claims  
this week and also to elect a  
road and bridge commissioner, a  
county physician and a keeper of  
the county infirmary. James H.  
Thompson, former county superin-  
tendent of schools, was elected  
road and bridge commissioner. Dr.  
C. P. Wheeler county physician and  
David Hughes keeper of the in-  
firmary. Mr. Hughes was a former  
keeper, one of the best the county  
ever had.

## DIRE DISTRESS.

It is Near at Hand to Hundreds  
of Louisa Readers.

Don't neglect an aching back.  
Backache is the kidney's cry  
for help.

Neglect hurrying to their aid  
Means that urinary troubles fol-  
low quickly.

Dire distress, Bright's disease.

Mrs. Fred Picklewater, of Lou-  
isa, Ky., says: "One of my neigh-  
bors first brought Doan's Kidney  
Pills to my notice but I did not  
take them until I was in a miser-  
able condition, and almost beyond  
being cured. However I was pleased  
to note that they went at once the  
seat of my trouble. The pains have  
disappeared from my back, that  
dull bearing-down ache through my  
hips has been removed and the  
kidney secretions have become nat-  
ural."

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the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—  
and take no other.

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at Pierce's.

## NATIONAL CONTRACT CO.

Remarkable Record Made by Company  
With Local Members.

The following article from a  
Steubenville, Ohio, paper will be  
read with interest by Louisa peo-  
ple because of the fact that two  
hustling citizens of Louisa are  
stockholders and officers in the  
company.

The National Contract Company  
was incorporated under the laws  
of the State of West Virginia on  
Sept. 3rd, 1910, with a cash capital  
of \$200,000. It succeeded to the  
river business of The Hoellerbach &  
May Contract Company, of Evans-  
ville, Indiana. The Home Office of  
the Company is Evansville, Indiana,  
but the company has the contract  
for the construction of the Govern-  
ment Lock and Dam No. 9, Ohio river  
at New Cumberland, W. Va., and  
the head office is, in reality, on  
the work.

The company is composed as fol-  
lows: S. L. May, President; John  
C. Thomas, M. Am. Soc. C. E. Vice  
President; E. P. May, Treasurer; H.  
A. Scholze, Chief Engineer; Chas.  
F. May, Secretary, and Mr. A. Hol-  
lerbach. All of the officers of the  
company are young men and take  
an active part in the management  
of the affairs and can be found on  
the work at all times.

The members of this company  
have had more experience in build-  
ing locks and dams than any other  
company engaged in this line  
of business. They were interested  
in the construction of Guide Walls  
No. 1, Ohio River; Locks 2, 3, 4,  
and 5, Ohio River; Dam No. 6, Ohio  
River; Dam No. 8, Ohio River; Dam  
No. 3, Ohio River; Dam No. 19,  
Ohio River; Lock No. 1, Tus-  
carora River; Dam No. 1, Ken-  
tucky River; Dam No. 1, Green  
River; Lock and Dam No. 6, Green  
River.

The present contract for Lock and  
Dam No. 9 Ohio River, is the largest  
contract on the Ohio River  
work and was awarded to them in  
September, 1910, at their bid of  
\$912,455.66. They were unable to  
get their floating plant to the  
site until about November 1st, 1910,  
when work was rushed on the con-  
struction of the cofferdam for  
the lock and succeeded in complet-  
ing same before closing down for  
the winter season as ice and high  
water interferes with this class  
of work from about December 1st  
to April 1st of each year.

At the beginning of Spring or  
about March 1st, 1911, the members  
of the company were at the site of  
their work and beginning prepara-  
tions for rushing the work during  
the working season. They were  
delayed to some extent by high  
water during March and April and  
did not start pumping out their  
cofferdam until April 20th, 1911. Since  
then the company has pushed along  
with remarkable rapidity. By Sept.  
1st, 1911, the lock proper will be  
practically completed, and which  
means that one of the Ohio River  
locks was completed in about four  
months time when ordinarily it has  
required four years or more. The  
cofferdam was also built in July,  
1910, for 500 feet of the Navigable  
Pass and with the present rate of  
progress, this portion of the work  
should be completed by October 1,  
1911. This means that the Lock  
proper and 500 feet of the Navigable  
Pass or about 60 per cent of the  
entire contract should be com-  
pleted by October 1st, 1911. It is  
the intention to tear away the present  
cofferdam and clear up the  
river for uninterrupted navigation  
during the winter months. How-  
ever, the company will construct  
the cofferdams this fall for the  
Guide Walls and also for the first  
section of Weir and Bear Traps  
or a distance of about 400 feet out  
from the Ohio shore. Next sea-  
son, the company hopes to get an  
early start and finish the entire  
contract in two seasons when the  
time allowed by the government  
was four years. Of course, this  
will depend entirely on river con-  
ditions during next season permit-  
ting the work to proceed as the  
company anticipates.

This means a record for Ohio River  
work and something never be-  
fore attempted by any contractor or  
contemplated. However, this com-  
pany has profited by experience and  
installed a plant that could not  
be equalled on this class of work.  
Every contract undertaken by them  
has been completed according to  
the specifications and to the satis-  
faction of the government engineers  
in charge. This should signify that  
the members of this company have  
certainly demonstrated their fit-  
ness for this line of hazardous work  
and have given careful thought and  
planning to the same.

Money has not been spared in

## EXQUISITE MILLINERY

The season's most beautiful models in a full range of shades, new materials and prices  
and most beautifully fashioned. Many of the hats made in our own workrooms cannot be told  
from the imported models, and they sell at much less figures. All the rich autumn colors  
are represented and a complete millinery department in charge of one of the most compet-  
ent milliners in this country is at your service

## Stylish Suit Models

Our suits range in price from \$20.00 to \$50.00 and every single number is striking in  
style and beautiful in weave and finish. The fitting qualities of our suit stock is one of the  
features of the department and the service and the prices and the general appearance of any  
suit selection will mark the wearer for good taste and judgment in the selection of a proper  
suit model for the fall season

We cordially invite you to visit Huntington—we are not selfish—look at the other stores  
and other merchandise—Huntington is filled with good merchandise and excellent stores;  
but don't make your purchase until after you have seen the  
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Huntington, W. Va.

placing the proper plant or placing  
the proper men in charge of the  
same. Financially, the company is  
fully able to carry forward any large  
contract they may undertake and  
push it to completion at the ear-  
liest possible moment.

They hope to be the successful  
bidders for the construction of Lock  
and Dam No. 19, Ohio River, near  
Steubenville, Ohio, and with their  
large plant now at Dam No. 9 and  
the organization at their command,  
and also the experience gained in  
constructing Dam No. 9, they should  
be in better position to rush it to  
completion than any other contrac-  
ting company on the river.

Their success lies in the fact  
that all the officers of the company  
take an active part in the man-  
agement and can be found on work  
at all times.

## HO, FOR TEXAS!

Charles Holbrook and family, of  
Blaine, John Gartin, Will Queen  
and Dr. L. D. Jones, all of Louisa,  
left Monday for a point 70  
miles southwest of San Antonio, Texas.  
The Holbrooks left Blaine via  
Webbville, joining the others at  
Aahland. The News understands  
that Mr. Holbrook will take real-

estate in the Lone Star State,  
working there for the shoe firm  
in whose employ he has been for  
several years. He was a good citi-  
zen and will be much missed.

The other Louisians have gone on  
a prospecting trip to spy out the  
land. Some alluring tales have  
been poured into their ears about  
the distant Southwest, but like wise  
men they have gone to see for  
themselves. John Gartin in par-  
ticular wants the people to know  
that he has not gone to stay. The  
party will return in about two  
weeks.

## APPEAL TO ELECT DELEGATES.

Mr. W. J. Vaughan left Wednes-  
day for Somerset, Ky., on Sunday  
school work. He desires to appeal  
to the various Sunday schools  
throughout the county to elect de-  
legates to the State Convention which  
will meet in Louisville October 15th-  
22nd.

There are now nearly 4000 Sun-  
day schools in Kentucky. Each of  
these is entitled to a delegate to  
the State Convention, and their pas-  
sors and superintendents are dele-  
gates by virtue of their office. The  
railroads will make reduced rates,  
and entertainment will be furnished

by the people of Louisville on the  
Harvard Plan, meaning Lodging and  
Breakfast free.

For any further information ad-  
dress Rev. Geo. A. Joplin, 712 Lo-  
uisville Trust Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

## THOUGHTFUL KINDNESS.

When it comes to doing deeds of  
thoughtful kindness it's the women  
of Louisa against the world. A  
late manifestation of their goodness  
is shown in their action regarding  
Mrs. E. M. Kennison. Prof. Ken-  
nison is sick with typhoid fever, and  
in order that his wife may have as  
few burdens as possible the ladies  
of the Little Circle, which is presided  
by the professor, take "turn about"  
in furnishing the noonday meal.  
There are 21 of these good wo-  
men, and if good diet changed daily,  
Mrs. Kennison will certainly thrive.

## REMOVAL OF A TUMOR.

On Wednesday Dr. L. H. York, as-  
sisted by Drs. Bromley and W. M.  
man, removed a large fatty tu-  
mor from the right shoulder of  
Mr. Elijah France, of South William-  
son, Ky. The operation was per-  
formed at the hospital and the pa-  
tient is doing well.

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